



# Navajo Department of Health



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## **Navajo Nation Health Command Operations Center Confirmed 121 new cases, announcement of Official Navajo Nation Donation Site**

WINDOW ROCK, Ariz. – The Navajo Nation Health Command Operations Center (HCOC) has now confirmed 121 new cases of Dikos Ntsaagíí-19 (COVID-19) as of Thursday, Apr. 16. The new numbers also confirmed additional deaths, bringing COVID-19 related fatalities to 41. A total of 3,440 tests have returned negative results. The new numbers include border town cases.

- COVID-19 Laboratory Confirmed Deaths: 41
- Navajo County (Arizona): 306
- Apache County (Arizona): 147
- Coconino County (Arizona): 199
- McKinley County (New Mexico): 203
- San Juan County (New Mexico): 140
- Cibola County (New Mexico): 13
- Socorro (New Mexico): 10
- San Juan County (Utah): 12
- Sandoval County (New Mexico): 12

Source: Navajo Epidemiology Center

The Health Command Operations Center in cooperation with Navajo Nation President Jonathan Nez, Vice President Lizer, and the Navajo Nation Attorney General Doreen McPaul, announced the Official Navajo Nation COVID-19 Donation Fund. To make sure donations, please visit the following link: <https://www.ndoh.org/donate.html>

The Navajo Nation Health Command Operations Center also issued a new Public Health Emergency Order earlier today granting the extension of the 57-Hour Weekend Curfew for the remaining two weekends in April.

For more information, visit <https://www.ndoh.navajo-nsn.gov/COVID-19> or call the HCOC Hotline at (928) 871-7014.

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